

The Killing of a Sacred Deer - beat sheet

Time	Event	Structure	Time	Notes on Structure	Sex	Hands	Hair	Lies	Sick
00:00	Opening credits								
00:00	Music								
00:01	Heart - first image								
00:02	End heart								
00:02	Title								
00:02	Steven introduced as he removes surgery gear. Looks dazed/deadpan.								
00:03	Steven and Mathew walk and talk about watch. Steven prefers metal strap.								
00:04	Steven alone at Diner								
00:04	Martin introduced								
00:05	Talk about how to eat. Martin eats fries after because they're his favorite.								
00:05	Both talking at outdoor location. Martin apologizing and shares bike story.								
00:06	Scenes are Steven POV								
00:06	Steven gives Martin watch								
00:07	Family Dinner. Anna Kim Bob Intro								
00:07	Bob Haircut talk						x		
00:08	We all have lovely hair						x		
00:08	Black dress talk								
00:08	Cake for Steven , not for kids								
00:09	Anesthetic sex				x				
00:11	At hospital								
00:11	Steven tells Martin not to show up unannounced								
00:11	Steven Tries to keep things cool by asking about watch strap								
00:12	Introduces Martin as daughter schoolmate. Lies							x	
00:13	Kim Breathing exercises with Steven								
00:13	Bob Combing long hair						x		
00:13	Bob Talks back again								
00:14	Weird sound of animal as breathing exercise. Kim								
00:14	Steven Giving speech								
00:15	Anna And Mathew have a moment								
00:15	Mathew leaves								
00:15	Anna And Mathew are talking as Steven approaches								
00:16	Mathew talks about having cocktail								
00:16	Anna Talks about Bob . Steven Makes comment about Kim menstruating.								
00:16	Steven and Anna. Leave early cause early surgery								
00:17	Steven And Martin walk and talk								
00:17	Steven Smokes								
00:17	Martin mentions Dad's death and Mother								
00:18	Steven Invites Martin to dinner at family home.								
00:18	Martin Brings flowers								
00:19	Gifts for Kim and Bob								
00:19	Steven Makes Bob say thank you								
00:19	Bob Watches as Martin and Kim talk								
00:20	Bob Asks Martin about hair under arms. Kim mentions period.								
00:20	Martin Asks about smoking. Bob No. Kim Yes								
00:21	Bob Asks to see hair under arms								
00:21	Mentions Dad hair								
00:21	Kim , Martin great body								
00:22	Martin Kim Walk								
00:22	Kim Sings to Martin								
00:23	Martin Compliments lemonade. Anna Asks to meet Martin Mom. Steven Offers to spend night. Martin declines cause of Mom.								
00:24	Martin Talks about difference in neighborhoods								
00:25	Anna Asks Steven about Martin dads death. Steven Lies.							x	
00:25	Martin Calls Steven - creepy music. Invites Steven to dinner with his Mom at their house.								
00:26	Steven Walls to car. Martin Creeps around								
00:27	Steven Asks Martin if he was there whilst at dinner.								
00:27	Martin Asks about watching movie. Steven Declines								
00:28	They watch Groundhog Day. Part about God. Martin Leaves for bed								
00:29	Martin Mom mentions hands					x			
00:29	Change in look. Brown hair vs now.						x		
00:30	Kisses hands, gets weird. Steven Leaves. You can't leave until you try tart.				x	x			
00:31	Steven Leaves	Inciting Incident		Protagonist takes action.					
00:31	Steven At hospital finds Martin in his office. His heart aches. Mentions Dads history. Lightly references Steven								
00:32	Killing Dad on surgery. Mom was worried.								
00:32	Steven Runs tests/								
00:33	Martin Asks Steven to show hairy chest and underarms.								
00:33	Steven Shows him.								
00:34	Martin Invites Steven to dinner. Steven Says no. Martin Mentions how his mom and Steven can be a great couple she likes him. She lost weight.								
00:35	Steven tells Martin there's no chance he will ever have a relationship with his Mom.	Second Thoughts?		Antagonist confirms Protagonist action					
00:35	Martin Is healthy. Get out.								
00:35	Mathew cuts fish while Steven watches. OS of Martin's voicemail.								
00:36	Martin at Diner waiting. Leaving message. Begging and questioning.			Antagonist confirms Protagonist action					
00:37	Anna Questions where Steven was while he was listening to VM.								
00:37	Steven angrily tells Mathew to stop cooking his fish after he mentions Martin was at hospital.								
00:38	Kim Comes home tells Steven she saw Martin . She road home with him on motorcycle and says she had a great time with him.								
00:39	Kim Wants to talk to Anna								
00:39	Steven calls Martin. Martin Outside watching them doesn't pick up.			Antagonist begins action					
00:40	Steven pensive at breakfast. Asks about Bob . Says he'll be late.								
00:40	Bob can't walk. Steven gets upset. Creepy music starts.	Act 1 Climax	0:40						x
00:41	Bob Gets hospital tests. Creepy music continues.			Wanderer Begins					
00:42	Bob Walks								

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00:43	Steven has no time for Bob								
00:43	Bob falls.								x
00:44	Bob MRI								
00:44	Docs talk about tests are all good. Maybe psych. Anna Suggests petscan. Steven shuts it down.	Obstacle							
00:45	Martin And Kim on motorcycle.								
00:46	Kim Lies to Anna about where she was. Asks about how Bob is and how Anna feels.							x	
00:47	Anna Suspicious.								
00:47	First handheld shot as Steven and Anna. Walk.								
00:48	Steven And Anna find Martin at hospital with Bob .								
00:48	Martin Offers lemonade insists Steven meet him in cafeteria. "Don't stand me up like last time."								
00:49	Martin Gives Steven present.								
00:49	Martin Complains about Steven spending 1 as time with him. Describes critical moment they knew would come. Describes the balance . How t works. 4 steps. Kill one.								
00:51	Once bleeding happens. Hours before they die. Any questions?								
00:51	Martin Gets kicked out of hospital.								
00:51	Steven force-feeds Bob .	Obstacle							
00:52	Steven changes attitude . Intense.								
00:53	Kim and Martin hang out on bed. Speaking French. Lip gloss.								
00:53	Martin asks about Kim on period.								
00:54	Kim Takes off clothes and gets on bed. Lays down like Anna .				x				
00:54	Martin Compliments her but leaves. Kim Begs. Martin Says he's not angry at her Dad.feels sorry for him. Kim Knows. She says she loves him.								
00:56	Anna Steven And docs talk about test results not showing anything. Anna Says psychosomatic disorder. Steven Wants to keep testing. Docs recommend psych treatment. Creepy music starts. Steven Insults Anna intelligence about medical opinion. Gives son spinal tap.	Obstacle							
00:58	Steven tries to make Bob walk. Drops him on floor.								
00:58	Steven tells Bob secret about masturbating his Dad to see all the sperm.								
01:00	If this is a joke, I will make you eat your hair.								
01:00	Anna wakes Steven in office. Brings clean shirt and offers food. Steven Says maybe psych. She's right.								
01:01	Kim Falls	Midpoint Twist	0:20	Anna getting sick confirms these incidents are not circumstance and confirm Martin's power.					
01:02	Anna and Mathew embrace								
01:02	Kim doesn't want to eat.	Obstacle?							
01:03	Steven Goes to Martin house. No ones answers. Light turns off. Steven Angry. Threatens.								
01:05	Anna asks Steven about Martin and if Steven he been drinking during surgery. No police.								
01:06	Surgeon never kills. Mathew has.								
01:06	Bob In better mood. Said Steven								
01:06	Steven in shower and sitting alone, naked.								
01:07	Bob asks about going home. Anna Asks about Martin . Visit?								
01:08	Martin Calls Kim . He's outside. He tells her to walk to window. She does.								
01:09	Martin Disappeared. Kim Falls. Bob Falls.								
01:10	Kim Fuck you to Anna when she says to not talk to Martin .								
01:11	Anna Takes away phone. Says she's not like Steven . Kim Tells Anna not to worry. She seems to be calm and know what's up.								
01:12	Steven In denial. Anna Says kids are worse. Steven Happy about big docs coming over.								
01:12	Anna Visits Martin .								
01:13	Bob Tells Anna that Steven has been flirting with his Mom since Dad's death. Talks about his beautiful hands. He is OK with Mom moving forward to not get in the way of getting life back in track.					x			
01:14	Anna Responds as to why she or her children should pay the price for Steven malpractice.								
01:15	Martin Spaghetti story. Everyone eats it the same way. Very upset.								
01:16	Don't know if it's fair but it's the only thing I can think of that's close to justice. Martin								
01:16	Docs talk about results. No reason to stay in hospital. Done everything they can. Steven Insults doctor.								
01:17	Mathew meets Anna at diner. Mathew says Steven was drinking morning if surgery. Anestsiologist can't kill patients only surgeons. Anna Wants cause if death. Mathew no. What's in it for him?								
01:19	Anna Gives Mathew hand job.				x				
01:20	Kim And Bob at home on hospital beds								
01:21	Steven Says Anna was right about kids better at home. Craving mash potatoes. Make some tomorrow. Anna Talks about beautiful hands. But lifeless. Incompetent man asking for tests. He's not man enough to do what needs to be done. We're in this because of you.					x			
01:23	Steven makes fun of possible solution. Tears of crocodile. Pubes. Makes mess.	Act 2 Climax	0:21	Warrior Begins					
01:23	Steven now in bed. Doesn't want to argue. Anna Facetiously says to wait till they're all dead.								
01:24	Steven Smoking looks out living room window. Can't sleep.								
01:25	Next morning.								
01:25	Did you get any sleep? To Anna .								
01:26	Martin Tied in Steven basement.								
01:26	Steven Asks Anna to get lemonade.								
01:27	Steven Calls Martin a murderer. Martin Tells Steven to move forward. Insults his judgement. Strike. Teeth.								
01:28	Martin Shows example by biting Steven . Should I apologize? No.								
01:28	Martin Bites himself to balance the situation. It's metaphorical. My example. Symbolic.								
01:29	Martin, expressed if he gets killed everyone else dies.								
01:30	Anna knows Martin is not dead. He made the right choice. She's going to live with Martin. Sorry that Bob. Will die.								
01:32	Can I have your mp3 player when you're dead? Please x 3								
01:32	Bob Drags himself downstairs and cuts his hair.						x		
01:32	Steven Looks at hands and washes them.					x			
01:33	Bob Drags himself towards Steven and shows cut hair. Apologizes for not having cut hair earlier.						x		
01:34	Steven Loses it. Crying outside by himself.								
01:35	Steven visits school to ask which kid is better. Kim Wrote essay about Greek tragedy.								
01:36	Anna Kim Bob go to Martin , clean wounds, kiss feet.								
01:39	Martin Tells Anna Bob is about to die.								
01:40	Anna Tries to seduce Steven .				x				
01:41	Steven rejects. Anna Talks about logical step is to kill child. They can still have children.								
01:41	Kim drags self don to Martin. Begs to make her walk. Intercut with Kim apologizing and giving herself up for the life of her Mom to Steven .								

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01:43	Kim Will untie Martin if he makes her walk. Martin Doesn't do anything . Kim Gets mad and throws things at him.								
01:44	Steven And Anna search for Kim . Intercut with Kim talking to Steven . Stating her love for Steven and Bob								
01:45	Anna let Martin go. Steven shove and insults Anna	Act 3 Climax		0:22 They accept their fate and deal with the matter at hand.					
01:46	Anna Says it won't solve anything and walks away.								
01:47	Kim asks Anna about Fuck you at hospital. Anna Tells her to shut up. Kim Asks if she's feeling symptoms. Anna Slaps her.								
01:48	Bob Starts bleeding from eyes.								
01:48	Anna Shouts Bobs dying.								
01:49	Bob Tells Steven about best friends.								
01:49	Steven Tells Anna to come to living room. Anna Will wear black dress. Now?								
01:50	Everyone taped on different chairs. Tears.								
01:50	Pillow cases cover heads.								
01:51	Handheld. Steven blindfolds self and spins and shoots shotgun.								
01:52	X2								
01:52	X3 boy dead.	Act 4 Climax		0:06					
01:53	Music								
01:53	Diner. Steven Anna Kim Sitting at table as Martin walks in.	Denouement							
01:54	Looks but barely acknowledge each other.								
01:54	Kim Pours ketchup on fries. Eats while staring at Martin.								
01:55	Martin Drinks water from straw.								
01:55	Family looks at each other.								
01:55	They get up and walk out as they each look at Martin one last time.								
01:56	Steven Walks out without looking at Martin .								
01:56	Martin Stares								
01:56	Black.								
01:56	Title			0:03					